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LAUDS NEW LAWS

CONGRESSMAN BOOHER SAYS DEMOCRATIC MEASURES ARE O. K.

STONE, RIGHT HAND MAN

Northwest Missouri's Representative Praises State's Senator and Work of Recent-Ending Congress.

Praise of the work accomplished by Congress which adjourned this week after nearly a two-years almost continuous session, and to Senator William J. Stone, was given this afternoon by United States Representative Charles F. Booher, of Savannah, who arrived here today to speak at the Democratic rally. Congressman Booher reviewed the work of the congress and expressed the belief that no congress in history had ever accomplished so much.

On being asked what he regarded as the principal accomplishments of the late session of congress, Congressman Booher said: "First, the Underwood tariff bill. It is generally conceded that it is the most scientific tariff bill that has been passed by congress in the last sixty years. The income tax law, which is made a part of this tariff bill, had it been a separate measure, would unquestionably have received the vote of the Republican members of Congreess. As it was, eight Republicans and Progressives voted for the entire Democratic tariff measure in the lower house of congress, and in the senate three Republicans and Progressives voted for it.

"The next important act, in my judgment, was the currency bill. It will mark a new era in the history of our country. It is progressive legislation, and received the vote of Democrats and thirty-nine Republicans and Progressives in the lower house, and the vote of four Republicans and Progressives in the senate.

"When it is in operation and is thoroughly understood by the people, we claim for it that it will put an end to money panics in this country. The bill may not be perfect in all its featres, but the Democratic party will have enough courage to amend it if it needs amending, and these amendments will all be in the interest of the people.

"The Clayton anti-trust bill was a very important piece of legislation, and was voted for by fifty-four Republicans and Progressives in the house and passed the senate by a vote of fifty-four to sixteen. It was not, in any sense of the word, a party measure. It was designed for the sole purpose of strengthening the Sherman anti-trust act, and it, with other legislation of the present congress, received the endorsement of former President Taft in his address before the National American Bar association at Washington last Wednesday.

"The Reyburn railway securities bill which has for its object the appointment of a commission to govern and control the issue of bonds and stocks of all public service corporations doing an interstate business—another important measure—passed the lower house of congress with only twelve stand-pat Republicans voting against it. Ninety-four Republicans and Progressives voted for it on a roll call.

"The Mexican war resolution was an important piece of legislation, supporting, as it did, President Wilson's policy of 'watchful waiting.' There was some opposition to this meeasure by the 'jingoes' who would rather have war than peace, but we should take courage from the fact that there are very few of that class of people left in the congress of the United States. Ninety-one Republicans and Progressives in the lower house voted for the resolution, and in the senate it received the support of twenty-five Republicans and Progressives.

"The European war emergency legislation passed the senate by acclamation and passed the house of representatives by two hundred and thirty-one to six. This was an amedment to what is known as the Vreeland emergency currency bill, passed in the sixty-first congress, and was necessary to put it in working order so that currency might be issued under its terms.

"Another important act was the federal trade commission, a bill which passed the house by acclamation and which has since become law. This bill provides for the appointment of a non-partisan commission for the purpose of gathering information in relation to trade and to advise what legislation will be necessary to make trade freer and to give the weaker concerns a fair chance in the field of trade and commerce in this country.

"Much good is expected from this legislation; and it was spoken of by former President Taft as one of the splendid pieces of legislation of the session of congress just closed.

"We have also passed a bill looking towards the rehabilitation of the American marine, without the aid of subsidy or voting one single dollar out of the treasury of the United States to some corporation. We have opened our registry to foreign-built ships. They can now come into the United States, register under the American flag and have the protection of our laws. This bill, so important to every section of our country, was passed by acclamation in both the house and senate.

"Many other important measures were passed by congress, and on none of them was there a strict party vote. This being conceded, why then should thinking Republicans anywhere in this country, and especially in the state of Missouri, persist in voting the republican ticket? For years they told us they were in favor of building up the merchant marine, but they always wanted to tax the people of this country for the benefit of some corporation under the guise of a subsidy.

"It is not generally known that in 1860 eighty per cent of the foreign trade of this country was carried in American ships, flying American flgs. After the war American commerce had disappeared from the seas; and from that until the Democratic party in the last congress passed the bill referred to, there has been no well-meant effort on the part of the Republican party to rebuild it.

"All legislation named, and other of importance, received the undivided support of the Democratic party, and many of the best thinking Republicans in congress gave these bills their active support.

"You ask me what the impression is, so far as I know, of President Wilson and his administration. President Wilson has certainly earned the praise and support of all right-thinking people. President Wilson is in many respects the most remarkable man that has ever been president of the United States. He seems to embody the wisdom and understanding of our government of Thomas Jefferson and the kindness of heart and disposition of Abaham Lincoln with the courage of Andrew Jackson.

"These three qualities are not usually found in one man. He is the leader of his party, as he ought to be but he leads, he does not drive or coerce or punish. He does not form an opinion upon any great question until after he has studied it and considered it and formed a mature judgment.

"His Mexican policy has received the almost unanimous endorsement of the American people. His treatment of the foreign question, arising out of the present deplorable war in Europe, meets with the enthusiastic support of the American people.

"During all the time congress has been in session, while this legislation so important to the country has been pending, no member of the house or senate was more loyal to the President and to the people of this country than our own Senator William Joel Stone.

"He has at all times and under all circumstances been the firm friend and adviser of the President, and his position at the head of the great committee of foreign affairs, makes his reelection especially important. His endorsement by the people of Missouri will be an endorsement of President Wilson and his policies, and the people of the state of Missouri on next Tuesday will see to it that his majority will not be less than 50,000."

IS SCHOOL 'TEMPERANCE' DAY

Ask Nodaway County Teachers to Aid "County Unit" Movement.

Today is "temperance" day in the public schools of Nodaway county. The Anti-Saloon League officers of this county have urged all teachers to aid in the fight for the county unit bill, and to do so by lecturing to the pupils today relative to alcohol and its evil effects. The observance over the county today, however, it not general, it is reported. A few, it is said, did assist in the temperance fight.

The five temperance meetings held over the county last night were fairly well attended, the speakers report, although in some cases insufficient notice of the meetings had been given. For this reason the fact that the meetings were to be held, was unknown to many of the leading temperance workers.

The Rev. John H. Hubbard, pastor of the Buchanan Street Baptist church, who delivered a "county unit" address at the Pleasant Grove school house last night, said a fair sized crowd was in attendance.

Two temperance meetings are planned tonight. The Rev. J. L. Bilby of Barnard is scheduled to speak at the Davis school house, while the Rev. Hastings McNamee of Hopkins is to make a "county unit" address at the Unity church.

The big day in the temperance movement, however, will be on Sunday, when a score or more of "county unit" addresses are to be delivered in churches and school houses over Nodaway county by ministers and others interested in the movement. Each of the Sunday afternoon meetings will begin at 2:30 o'clock. The Sunday night services will begin at the usual time of 7:30 o'clock.

Remember to Re-elect Wray Recorder, That's Reasonable

—Advertisement.

SPEAK TO CROWDS

HUNDREDS CHEER DEMOCRATIC EXPONENTS THIS AFTERNOON.

LAUD ADMINISTRATION

Uphold President Wilson and Country's Legislators in Acts—Cheers to Dockery and Booher.

One of the largest and seemingly the most attentive political audiences that ever has been seen in Maryville greeted speakers A. M. Dockery, former governor of this state, and Congressman Charles F. Booher, at the closing Democratic rally in the circuit court room of the court house this afternoon. Every praise of the speakers to Wilson, the hard working Democratic congress, and to Senator William J. Stone, brought forth cheers from the multitude.

The great big court room was filled to capacity, every seat being taken, the aisles jammed and persons waited at the doors leading into the hall. Dozens and dozens stood throughout the two addresses, some of them women, so interested did they appear to be in that which was spoken by two of the Democrats' best oratorical artists in Missouri.

So great was the applause at one time during the speech of Mr. Dockery that several pieces of plastering on the ceiling of the first floor of the court house were shattred and fell to the floor. Men and women applauded him with their hands, feet and voices so often that he could scarcely be heard at times.

While the men—Democrats, and steadfast ones at that,—from all parts of the county, represented the majority in the audience, there were fully one hundred women, from youth to real old age, who helped to pack the court room to overflowing. They appeared just as interested as the men in what was spoken, despite the fact they have not the suffrage.

The first speaker was Mr. Dockery. He was introduced by Circuit Judge William C. Ellison. Mr. Dockery reviewed the work of the Democratic congress since it began its almost continuous session, nearly two years ago, up to the time of its final adjournment, only a few days ago.

The tariff bill, considered by experts in that line as one of the most perfect ones in the history of this country; the anti-trust enactments, the Wilson Mexican policy, the Wilson European war policy and other events in national politics which have filled the country's press so brimming full for two years, were explained and praised by Mr. Dockery.

And to show that they fully appreciated and coincided with every commendation, the crowd cheered and cheered, while the county Democratic candidates looked on with pleasure and smiled broad smiles—the kind that stretch from ear to ear and wind around to the back of the neck. There were a sprinkling of Republicans and Progressives, too, to hear the speakers.

When Mr. Dockery dwelt upon and praised President Wilson's action in keeping out of war with Mexico, at a time when it seemed inevitable, it was the hundred and more women listeners, as well as men, who clapped their hands with all their might to show their appreciation.

The audience was not made up by any means of Maryville faithfuls—not by a jug full. There were Elmo Democrats; Hopkins came several dozen strong; Conception turned out to an alarming extent—that is, to the Re-

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PLANS NEW GUILFORD ROADS.

County Improves Roads North and South of Southeast Town.

County Highway Engineer John H. Clary went to Guilford yesterday afternoon to arrange for constructing a new road one mile long from Guilford northward on the west side of the Great Western railroad. The road running south from Guilford also will be changed slightly to pass around a large hill.

A right of way is being obtained by Mr. Clary, when it is hoped work on the actual construction can begin by next week.

File Will of Mrs. Ellen Welty.

The will and codicil of Mrs. Ellen Welty, who died at her home in Burlington Junction, October 18, was filed in the office of probate court this morning. She bequeaths all her property, which consists of about $2,300 in personal effects, to the children of her step-daughter, Lillie Helen Howard, and her step-son, John H. Welty, except the household furnishings, which go to Mrs. John H. Welty.

She has requested that the court appoint Joseph C. Kern of Burlington Junction executor of her estate.

Returns to School.

Miss Alma Hotchkis sof this city, a student of the University of Missouri, was able to resume her school work this week, after being confined at home for two weeks, as the result of being run over by an automobile at Columbia.

TURKS FIGHT RUSS

BOMBARD ODESSA AND SINK THE CZAR'S SHIPS, REPORTED.

DEMAND PORT; TO JAIL

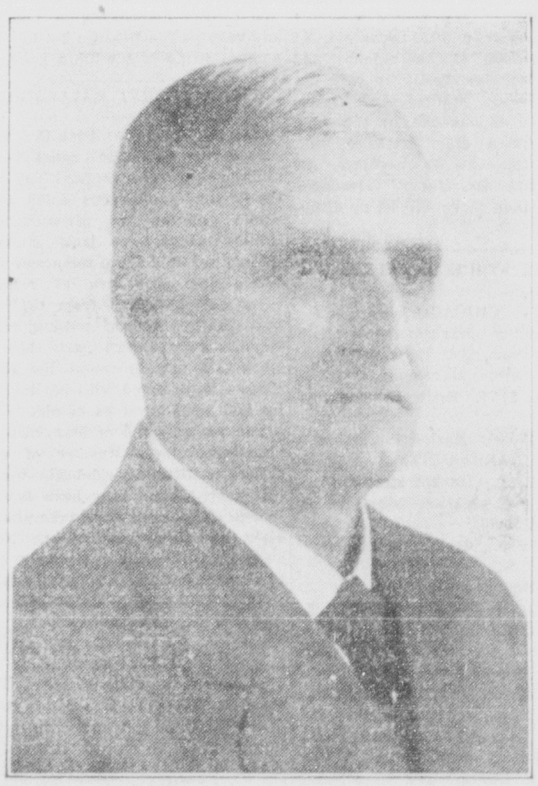
Invaders Are Imprisoned When Surrender is Asked—Germans Would Besiege Dover from Calais.

London, Oct. 30.—Turkey starts war on Russia and bombards southern towns. Odessa, on the Black sea, has been visited by Turkish warships, two Turkish destroyers having sunk several merchant ships in the Odessa harbor, according to a dispatch from Petrograd to the Mail.

The sultan's navy also bombarded Novorosysk, a sea port of Caucasia. Two Turkish officers landed at Theodessa, on the southeast coast of Crimea, to demand the surrender of that port. They were promptly imprisoned by the governor of the province.

It is believed the Germans plan to bombard Dover, England, with heavy guns from the port of Calais, just across the English channel, if the capture of that French seaport is effected, as is planned.

Speaks at Democratic Rally Here Today



GONGRESSMAN CHARLES F. BOOHER

Charles F. Booher, of Savannah, United States Representative from this the fourth congressional district of Missouri, who with A. M. Dockery, a farmer governor of Missouri, were the principal speakers at the final Democratic rally at the court houses here this afternoon, is considered one of the strongest men Missouri now has in the House at Washington. The political speech he made here this afternoon will be the only one he will make in Nodaway county during this campaign.

He has been at his post in Washington for the last twenty-three months and unable to make any campaign speeches. He returned from active work in Congress only this week.

Congressman Booher is 66 years old. He came to Missouri in 1870. He has been an attorney by profession for many years. He was mayor of Savannah for six years, prosecuting attorney of Andrew county for one term and in 1880 was district elector on the Democratic ticket.

He was elceted to the Fiftieth congress to fill the unexpired term of James N. Burnes, deceased, and to the sixtieth, sixty-first, sixty-second and last to the sixty- third congress. He is married and h as four children.

SPEAKS TO NORMAL PUPILS

Former Governor Dockery Recalls School Establishment—Confers With Democrats.

A. M. Dockery, former governor of Missouri, who spoke at the Democratic rally this afternoon, arrived in the city this morning over the Wabash from Mexico, where he spoke to a large crowd last night. He was met at the station by a reception committee composed of Judge W. C. Ellison, Normal President Ira Richardson, County Democratic Chairman John M. Dawson, Ellis G. Cook, Prosecuting Attorney George Pat Wright, George B. Baker, S. G. Gillam, Senator Anderson Craig, A. S. Robey, George Robb Ellison, E. E. Williams and James Todd.

He was escorted to the Linville hotel, where breakfast was served to the party. Mr. Dockery then went direct to the Normal, where he addressed the student assembly at 9 o'clock. He was introduced by W. A. Blagg, president of the board of regents of the school.

Mr. Dockery expressed considerable surprise at the growth and business-like air at the Normal, and of the equipment generally which is at the command of the school. He also reminiscently called to the minds of his audience the fact that he participated in the laying of the cornerstone of the Normal here seven years ago, under the auspices of the Masonic order.

In 1882, when the cornerstone of the present court house was laid, Mr. Dockery, then grand master of Missouri Masons, had charge of the ceremonies, and again in 1907, when the cornerstone of the Normal school was laid, he presided at the exercises.

Mr. Dockery said that at that time the crowd which had assembled was the largest which he had ever seen in the state, with the exception of the large cities. The outlook of this Normal school, according to the speaker, was of the very brightest. "The natural situation and the campus of the school," said Mr. Dockery, "is the most beautiful of any normal school in the state. The school itself is situated in one of the richest and most productive sections not only of the United States, but in the whole world.

"The fact that we, as citizens, have said that the people shall rule has laid the foundation for our great public school system. The fact that the people do rule makes the state responsible for the education of its citizens, in order that they may be able to vote intelligently.

"The time was," said Mr. Dockery, "when we had to look to the eastern states for our teachers, but now the time which I have long looked forward to has come, when we can prepare efficient instructors."

"Students, you should be missionaries for this school, and when you go to wider spheres of usefulness, spread the tidings of what this type of institution can do."

The speaker brought forth rounds of applause when he stated that were he the chief executive of the state today, and the funds were available, his first action would be to raise the wages of teachers.

"Our splendid educational system," said Mr. Dockery, in conclusion, should stand for anything which will develop and aid instructors, and will broaden our men and women, our boys and girls, spiritually, mentally, morally or physically."

After visiting the Normal he inspected the postoffice building and the business section of the city generally.

Congressman Charles F. Booher arrived at noon today from his home at Savannah. He was dined, then taken to the court house, where he also spoke at the Democratic rally. He was received on his arrival here by a committee headed by Mr. Dawson and other county leaders of that political faith. Mr. Booher will leave Maryville late this afternoon for his home. It will be impossible for him to make any more speeches in Nodaway county prior to election.

Holds Funeral Services.

The funeral services of Nathan Hazelwood, who died Wednesday morning at his home, south of Guilford, were held at 1 o'clock this afternoon at the Methodist church, South, of Guilford. The body was interred in the Guilford cemetery.

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HOLD FATHER, 78

CHARGES MARVIN COOK WITH HAVING FIRED SON'S BARN

GOES TO COUNTY JAIL

Is Unable to Give $1,000 Bond—Is Still Weak From Attempt to Take Own Life.

Marvin D. Cook, of Maitland, 78 years old, and weak from the effects of an attempt to take his life yesterday, was committed to the county jail here this morning charged by his son, George Cook, with having set fire to the son's barn northeast of Graham Wednesday night. The aged man was arrested at his home by Sheriff Edwin Wallace and brought here about 7 o'clock last night.

When taken before Justice Warren L. Johnson at 10 o'clock this morning he waived preliminary hearing and was bound over for trial on a charge of third degree arson, in the circuit court of this county. Upon failure to furnish the required release bond of $1,000 he was committed to the county jail to await trial.

He will be arraigned before Circuit Judge William C. Ellison at 9 o'clock Monday morning, it was announced. If he denies guilt he may be tried during this term of court, according to Prosecuting Attorney George Pat Wright.

Mr. Cook said this morning he probably would be able to furnish the $1,000 bond within a few days, with several Maitland acquaintances as security.

The burning of George Cook's barn and its contents, his father's attempt at suicide, and his subsequent arrest on a charge of arson, follows more than a year's enmity between father and scion, during which time neither spoke nor had dealings with each other.

Immediately following the destruction of the barn, blood hounds from Bigelow were rushed to the scene of the fire. They trailed straight from the barn to the room of the Farmer's hotel at Maitland, where the elder Cook lived, it is said.

Soon after this, Cook drank laudanum, but his act was noticed in time to affect his recovery.

The maximum penalty for third degree arson, with which the aged man is charged, is two years in the state penitentiary. Third degree arson, constitutes the act of setting fire or attempting to set fire to any out building, in which there are no humans.

DEMOCRATS ARE FEASTED.

County Political Tourists Dine Royally at Conception.

A sumptuous dinner of fried and stewed chicken, with many other delicacies, at Conception Junction at noon yesterday added to the enjoyment of the Democratic "whirlwind" campaigners in their final tour yesterday. It was served by the Methodist and Catholic women of that town in a bazaar being held there this week. Each of the fifty or more "tourists" joined in the feast. That it reduced the speaking ability of the political orators for the remainder of the day, it was freely admitted. The candidates feel, however, that they safely landed several good votes in the junction town by way of the feast.

At the close of the three days tour, at Barnard last night, a purse of $50 was made up among the political "tourists" for the members of the Graham band, which has aided the candidates in "whoopin' 'er up" for the last two days.

HE, TOO, IS FOR TOWNSHIPS.

Hopkins Mail Carrier and Editor Are Against District Abolishment.

The following from the Hopkins Journal indicates rather strongly that W. L. Morehead, editor, as well as W. E. Keever, rural mail carrier, who does the talking, is not at all friendly to the proposition to abolish township organization and offices at the election next Tuesday:

W. E. Keever, who handles mail for Uncle Sam, in speaking of the proposition to do away with township organization in Nodaway county, remarked, "Don't do it." He has occasion to travel some twenty-four miles of roads daily in performing his duties and says in Adams county, where the change was made, it now takes twice as long to get a bridge or culvert fixed as it did under township organization, it being necessary to await the pleasures of a supervisor up at Corning instead of having a township man right at home attend to it.

Every voter in Hopkins township should remember to vote against the change here next Tuesday.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight; Saturday warmer.

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NOTICE—TOGGERY SHOP WINDOWS. 28-30

CHIROPRACTIC.

The science of locating and removing the cause of disease, and is not medicine, surgery or osteopathy. Has gained great headway because of results. I am a graduate of the Palmer School of Chiropractic, Davenport, Ia., and hold degree of Doctor of Chiropractic. Have had extensive field practice. Shall be located at 107 South Buchanan street, east of St. Patrick's church, after November 1.
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One of the easiest and simplest remedies to check catarrh and break up a cold is Hyomei. Just put a few drops of this antiseptic and healing liquid into the small inhaler that comes with every complete outfit, and breathe it. This medicated air immediately soothes the inflamed tissues and effectively drives out the poison. Just a few minutes use of this most helpful remedy opens the stuffed air passages, clears the head and throat of the unclean discharges—you breathe freely and immediately feel better.

Hyomei is so certain to relieve and give lasting benefit that the Orear-Henry Drug Co. sells it on the "No-cure-no-pay" plan.

TO BEAUTIFY NORMAL GROUNDS.

State Landscape Artist Prepares the Drives and Foliage Improvement.

Horace F. Major of Columbia, porfessor of landscape gardening and superintendent of grounds at the University of Missouri, arrived in Maryville this morning for the purpose of improving the grounds at the State Normal. The plans for the work are being examined today by Ira Richardson, Normal president, and W. A. Blagg, president of the board of regents.

While the plans are not definite, it is proposed to establish several new driveways and walks about the grounds, perhaps a sunken garden and lake, and plant more trees and other foliage.

Prof. Major will go from here to several points in Illinois, where he has been engaged to make landscape improvements.

A Pair of Montgomery's Shoes Tomorrow.

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(Advertisement.)

BOTH MADE GOOD

Recorders of Nodaway and Andrew Counties Have Fine Records and Both Have Been Re-nominated

Every once in a while, the public does really appreciate a good officer, regardless of politics and shows its appreciation. It happens too at times and in places that make it clear that people are getting away from the notion that a man's politics have anything to do with the service he will give them.

Down in Andrew county, that rolls up big Republican majorities, the last time they elected O. H. Clark, a Democrat, Recorder and just to show that they think he has done well by the office and the people, he is again the candidate of his party. They like Clark down there and he runs like a scared wolf.

Here in Nodaway county, J. Arthur Wray is again the nominee of his party Like Clark, Wray has his record of quiet, quick, pleasant service as his unanswerable recommendation to the voters. Both these men have forgotten everything but their service in their office and their reward is in the hands of the voters, Nov. 3d.—The Guilford Times.

WAR AIDS POSTAL SAVINGS

Foreigners Become Patrons of Government Institution Following Trouble Abroad.

The war in Europe is proving a big boon to postal savings in this country. From the very day hostilities opened across the seas postal savings receipts began to increase by leaps and bounds and withdrawals fell off, a result quite contrary to the predictions of many well informed persons who, in their imagination, saw lines of feverish depositors at postoffice pay windows anxious to again return their savings to the boot-leg and body-belt depositories when they came before intrusted to Uncle Sam. But the forecasters failed to reckon on the absolute confidence of the American citizen, regardless of the flag that first met his eyes, in the ability and purpose of the government to carry out its obligations, not only among the nations of the earth, but with the humblest citizen of our land.

Two important results have followed; thousands of people, largely of foreign birth, accustomed to send their savings abroad, are now patrons of our postal savings system; and enormous sums of actual cash have been released for commercial uses among our own people at a time when the need for every available dollar is pressing.

The growth of postal savings in the United States has been steady and healthy and the system has filled an important gap between the tin-can depository and the factory paymaster. On July 1, when affairs were running smoothly here and abroad and the transmission of money across the Atlantic was safe and expeditious, there was approximately $43,000,000 of postal savings standing to the credit of about 388,000 depositors. Since then over $10,000,000 of deposits have been added and the number of depositors has increased enormously. This unprecedented gain is the more striking when it is considered that the net gain in the last three months is larger than the gain for the entire fiscal year 1914. Scores of offices have done more postal savings business since the war has been going on than was done by them during the previous existence of the service. The increases are confined to no special localities, but have been felt in every nook and corner of the country. New York City alone made a gain in September of more than a million, while Brooklyn showed a relatively big increase. Chicago reported a larger gain in the past three months than for the previous twelve months. More than 7,000 new accounts were opened during the period, bringing the number of depositors in that city up to over 21,000.

The unexpected increase in postal savings business has not only added greatly to the general administrative duties of the system, but has brought up many new and interesting problems which have called for the careful consideration of Postmaster General Burleson and A. M. Dockery, third assistant postmaster general. But their task has been lightened somewhat by the promptness of depository banks in furnishing additional security to meet the abnormal deposits. A numebr of the very largest banks in the country, which have heretofore declined to qualify as depositors for postal savings funds, are now among the eager applicants for them.

DULL, THROBBING OR VIOLENT HEADACHE

Dr. James' Headache Powders clear your head and stop Neuralgia pain at once—10 cents a package.

You take a Dr. James' Headache Powder and in just a few moments your head clears and all neuralgia and pain fades away. It's the quickest and surest relief for headache whether dul, throbbing, splitting or nerve-racking. Send someone to the drug store and get a dime package now. Quit suffering—it's so needless. Be sure you get Dr. James' Headache Powders—then there will be no disappointment.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle..2,500. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 800.

Hogs—20,000. Market slow to 5c lower; top, $7.70. Estimate tomorrow, 14,000.

Sheep—15,000. Market 10c higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—2,000. Market strong.

Hogs—7,000. Market slow to 5c lower; top, $7.50.

Sheep—3,000. Market 10c higher.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—200. Market strong.

Hogs—8,000. Market slow to 5c lower; top, $7.35.

Sheep—300. Market 10c higher.

A Pair of Montgomery's Shoes Tomorrow.

Return from St. Joseph.

Mrs. J. E. Stewart and Miss Hazel Gove of this city and Mrs. S. A. Roach of Barnard returned last night from a visit with friends in St. Joseph.

A Pair of Montgomery's Shoes Tomorrow.

Second Crop of Watermelons.

James Wilder, the watermelon king of Nodaway county, was in Hopkins last Monday with forty or fifty big watermelons grown since the recent rains, making two crops for this man this season, and we know the mellons are good, too, for Mr. Wilder left one at the Journal sanctum.—Hopkins Journal.

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SPEAK TO CROWDS

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publicans and Progressives—while Graham, away down in the southwest corner, and Guilford and other way-off burgs sent their full quota of faithful Democratic adherents to absorb the logic of the two able Wilsonite speakers here this afternoon.

But while Mr. Dockery, throughout his address, looked far out into the audience and pounded his great, broad fist on the mahogany table as though it were meant for those off in the far corners, his heart was with the score of aged Democrats—old acquaintances who occupied front seats inside the attorneys' railing. For every once in awhile Mr. Dockery, the "old war horse" of Missouri—would look down upon these faithful followers is if to inquire, "How am I doing?"

Mr. Dockery was succeeded by Congressman Booher, also introduced by Judge Ellison. Congressman Booher brought down many a cheer from the house as he dwelt, as did Dockery, only in a new light, on the performances of Wilson and the Democratic congress the last twenty months.

Senator William J. Stone, who is a candidate for re-election, and evidently wil get it by a big majority, was lauded by Congressman Booher. Right then and there the audience to a man cheered and cheered—and the candidates again smiled great broad smiles.

It was plainly indicated all through that the crowd was for Congressman Booher good and strong. He did not need to tell what he had done. The congressional records, seemingly, have told that to the full pleasure of the crowd.

In view of many misrepresentations as to the expenditures of the present congress, Mr. Dockery submitted the following comparative statement showing the appropriations and contract liabilities of the last session of the last congress as compared with the appropriations and contract liabilities of the first session of the democratic congress which closed a few days ago.

"The appropriations and contract liabilities of the last session of the Taft congress were $1,167,183,962.40. The appropriations and contract liabilities of the first session of the Wilson Democratic congress aggregated $1,143,870,576.25; a difference of $23,313,386.15 in favor of the Democrats.

"Obviously, however, justice to the present congress requires that certain extraordinary expenditures be deducted that the two sessions may be put upon a fair comparative footing. We must take, therefore, from the total appropriations and contract liabilities of this session the expenditures on account of the troubles in Mexico and the war in Europe, amounting to $28,781,156.55. It follows, therefore, that the total current appropriations and liabilities, exclusive of these war expenditures, are $52,094,542.70 less than the last session of the congress which assembled under President Taft.

"These figures are all from the records of congress and the treasury department and are absolutely beyond question.

"It would also be fair to deduct certain other inherited obligations, notably those on account of rivers and harbors and public buildings, but I have limited the deductions to those incident to the wars in Mexico and Europe. These extraordinary expenses were incurred on account of the appropriations for war risk insurance, the added expenses of our embassies abroad, the appropriations to return Americans from Mexico and Europe, the transportation and care of Mexican interned soldiers and refugees and the increase in war and naval expenses due to the movements of our army and navy on the Mexican border. These amount to several million more."

WILL OBSERVE HALLOWE'EN.

Maryville Youngsters Plan Parties and Frolics to Celebrate Annual Event.

Hallowe'en, that annual day when the young mischievous folks of the whole country are given modified license to "tear up jack" generally, will roll around again tomorrow night. While the procedure of removing gates and buildings from their natural habitat, and of pulling various vehicles to unknown parts, has vanished to a certain extent, the ancient custom is observed with parties, frocics and socials yet as of old.

The young folks of Maryville have planned a large number of social events to fittingly celebrate the day this year. Some have been held, although the majority will take place tonight and tomorrow night. Nearly every neighborhood in Nodaway county, for that matter, is preparing for Hallowe'en parties, dances and social events.

Leave for Brookfield.

Mr. and Mrs. William Funk left this morning for Brookfield, Mo., where they will spend the winter with their daughter, Mrs. Walter Harris, and family. Lester Funk of El Reno, Okla., who came to Maryville several days ago to visit his parents, accompanied them to Brookfield and will go to his home in a few days.

To Spend Winter in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. G. De Lana of 418 South Main street, left today for El Reno, Okla., where they will spend the winter. Their daughter, Mrs. Gerard Smith of Paul's Valley, Okla., who has been visiting in the city, left at the same time for Pittsburg, Pa., where she will meet Mr. Smith and they will spend several months in the east.

A Pair of Montgomery's Shoes Tomorrow.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

OVERLOOKS TOWNSHIP BALLOTS.

General Election Causes Rush—Distribute 120,000 Sheets in County.

In the rush to get the county and district ballots, "absentee" ballots and amendment sheets over the county in ample time for the election, County Clerk George W. Demott overlooked the publication of the ballots relative to voting on a proposition for township abolishment. They, however, are now being printed in rush order and will be ready for distribution today.

The county is having 15,200 of them printed, so that there will be two ballots to each qualified voter in the county, as is required by law. It is believed nearly every voter will vote on the proposition for township abolishment.

It will require a total of about 120,000 party ballots, amendment sheets and township abolishment ballots to cover the county properly. The sheriff and his deputies will be pressed into service within the few days prior to election for the distribution of the election paraphernalia.

TELL STUDENTS HOW TO VOTE

Democrats Issue Instructions to Voters When Away From Home.

The Democratic state committee, at St. Louis, has sent out a circular letter giving the following instructions to students who are away from home and wish to vote here.

"Should you not be at home and desire to vote, go to the nearest voting place and tell the judges where you live and that you desire to vote. They will give you a blank affidavit, which you must fill out and sign. Return it to the judges and they will then give you an official blank ballot. The law says the names of all the judges must be written on the back of the ballot—their initials only will not do.

"You will then mark your ballot and give it to the judges, who are required by law to seal it and the affidavit which you filled out in an envelope, properly mail it, and send the same with their returns to the county clerk who will send same to the county clerk of your home county, or the election commissioner of your home city. Your ballot will then be counted as though you had voted at home."

The affidavit states than the person signing the affidavit swears to be a resident of the state, to have resided in a certain county for 60 days prior to date, that he is a qualified elector of a certain township, and that he is required by his duties (or occupation or business) to be absent and that he has not and will not vote elsewhere.

FRECKLES

Now is the Time to Get Rid of Those Ugly Spots.

There is no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove those homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength—from any druggist and apply a little of it night and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than an ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.

Represents Underwriters.

Oscar P. Rutledge of St. Louis, secretary and treasurer of the Insurance Federation of Missouri, arrived in Maryville yesterday to confer with local fire insurance writers and business men relative to plans for state insurance legislation.

Visiting at Graham.

Ross Miller of Wichita, Kan., is visiting at Graham with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Miller. Young Miller is a graduate of the Normal, and for the past year he has been at Wichita in the employ of the government weather bureau station.

A Pair of Montgomery's Shoes Tomorrow.

To Visit in St. Joseph.

Mrs. C. L. Wright left this afternoon for St. Joseph to spend several weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. D. McHenry.

A Pair of Montgomery's Shoes Tomorrow.

$1.00 Union Suits 79c

See that wonderful bargain we are selling in women's pure white fleeced lined Union Suits at . . 79c

All sizes from 34 to 44.

Haines
MARYVILLE, MO.
The Home of Good Goods at the Lowest Prices

Restful Rockers

Are a home comfort when you spend the long evenings that are at hand at home. We have everything in ROCKERS from the little Sewing Rocker to the Most Elaborate Turkish Creations and everyone a value well worthy of your consideration. Come in and see how cheap we are selling them.

Maryville Furniture Company
J. E. BAILEY, Manager
UNDERTAKING EMBALMING
AMBULANCE

Chas. A. Jensen

Poultry, Hides, Furs, Wool, Eggs, Cream. Highest market prices guaranteed at all times. Agency for U. S. Interlocking Cream Separator. Supplies for all standard makes of machines. Office first door north of Real Estate bank. Warehouse corner Fifth and Fillmore. All phones.

Dry Goods Specials

One lot Brocaded Wool Dress Goods, colors Black, Navy, Wine, Steel Gray, Brown and Tan. Regular price 50c and 60c per yard **Special**.....**35c**

Whip Cord Dress Goods, colors, Gray, Tan, Green, Red. Regular price 60c. **Special**..**35c**

Brown Whip Cord, Regular price 35c **Special**.....**25c**

Brown Cotton Whip Cord, Regular price 35c, **Special**.....**25c**

Dark Red Cotton Whip Cord, Regular price 35c. **Special**.....**25c**

Dark Red Mixture Cotton Dress Goods, Regular price 20c, **Special**.....**15c**

Dark Tan Mixture Cotton Dress Goods, Regular price 20c, **Special**.....**15c**

Several pieces Plaid Cotton Dress Goods, Regular price 15c, **Special**.....**12½c**

You will find these extra good bargains For Children's School Dresses

The Remus Store

Mr. Farmer Did You Ever Realize What a Want Ad Could Do For You

The Cost of Want Ads is Small Indeed Compared to What They Do

YOU probably have in mind right now something which you haven't any use for around the farm, something that you want to sell. Or there may be something that you can easily sell that you had hardly thought about.

You can dispose of those extra apples, that corn, hay and live stock through the best want ad medium in Nodaway county, The Democrat-Forum. Many of your neighbors are now taking this easy way of disposing of their surplus products.

These little want ads are easy to use too. Simply drop us a letter with your want ad enclosed, phone us your want ad or drop in to The Democrat-Forum office when you are in town and tell the ad man what you want to sell.

Your advertisement in The Democrat-Forum will reach more people than the ads in any other Nodaway County Newspaper or any newspaper in the state in the same size city.

DID CHILD WAKE UP CROSS OR FEVERISH?

Look, Mother! If Tongue is Coated Give "California Syrup of Figs" to Clean the Bowels.

Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's ills; give a teaspoonful, and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

Get Permit to Wed.

A marriage license was granted in the office of recorder of deeds late yesterday afternoon to J. Clyde Hutton, 21 years old, of Kearney, Neb., and Miss Ruby Alice Curnutt, 20 years old of Maryville.

A Pair of Montgomery's Shoes Tomorrow.

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Laying or Loafing?
Make your hens and pullets lay now and keep them laying all winter by giving them
Pratts
Poultry Regulator

Koch Pharmacy. 6392.

This is the Stove Polish
YOU Should Use
BLACK SILK STOVE POLISH
IT'S different from others because more care is taken in the making and the materials used are of higher grade.
Black Silk Stove Polish
Makes a brilliant, silky polish that does not rub off or dust off, and the shine lasts four times as long as ordinary stove polish. Used on sample stoves and sold by hardware and grocery dealers.
All we ask is a trial. Use it on your cook stove, your parlor stove or your gas range. If you don't find it the best stove polish you ever used, your dealer is authorized to refund your money. Insist on Black Silk Stove Polish.
Made in liquid or paste—one quality.
Black Silk Stove Polish Works
Sterling, Illinois
Use Black Silk Air-Drying Iron Enamel on grates, registers, stove-pipes—Prevents rusting.
Use Black Silk Metal Polish for silver, nickel or brass. It has no equal for use on automobiles.
"A Shine in Every Drop"

A Year Ago

If you had begun saving and deposited with us only $5 a month you would have $60 to your credit—to say nothing of the 4 per cent compound interest we would have placed under your name during the twelve months. It's not too late to start now, so that a year hence you'll have a good start on the only road to SUCCESS. You can add to your account any amount you desire, and withdraw any part, or all, at any time—without notice.

Farmers Trust Company
"HOME OF SAVINGS"
Maryville, - Missouri

TURK GUNS SHELL RUSS SEAPORT

Crimean Town Bombarded by Warship.

MUCH DAMAGE CAUSED

Cruiser Leaves In Southwesterly Direction After Ceasing Fire.

SIMILAR MOVE ON OTHER CITY

Cruiser Hamidieh Demands Surrender of Caucasian Town.

WAR SUMMARY

Turkey has apparently entered the war by a naval attack on the Crimean city of Theodosia and the sinking of two Russian steamers by a Turkish warship.

Along the battle fronts, both in Belgium and the north of France and in the eastern arena, the same story is being told of indeterminate action. The British admiralty continues to call attention to the effective service rendered by the warships off the North sea coast; the French tell of German repulses and French progress; the Germans speaking of the battles in France and Belgium declare that their progress is entirely satisfactory.

The Russian hosts are, according to advices, pushing the Germans and Austrians back. This, to a certain extent, Germany has admitted, but the Austrians aver they are virtually holding their own.

London, Oct. 30.—The outstanding feature of the great war is the entrance of Turkey into the struggle, as reported from Petrograd.

Ever since the war began the attitude of Turkey has been the subject of doubt. It has been reported a number of times that Turkey was on the verge of joining forces with Germany; it was even said that Germany had supplied the Ottoman government with large sums of money. Great Britain warned Turkey to keep off and recent advices from Constantinople indicated Turkey would maintain its neutrality.

Now comes word that a Turkish cruiser has bombarded the seaport of Theodosia, in the Crimea, and that another Turkish cruiser has threatened the seaport of Novorossysk, on the Black sea.

Under stress of pursuit by British warships, the German cruisers Goeben and Breslau, early in the war took refuge at Constantinople. They were purchased by Turkey, but the German officers and crews were retained.

Meanwhile Turkey has been under surveillance by the allies. Its action in the present attack on Russian seaports has not been explained, but it is possible that its injection into the war may bring to arms some of the Balkan states, which have up to the present remained quiescent.

Naval Attack on Theodosia.

Theodosia, Crimea, Oct. 30.—A large cruiser with three funnels bombarded the station and city for an hour, damaging the cathedral, the Greek church, a pier and some sheds. One soldier was wounded. A branch of the Russian Bank of Foreign Commerce caught fire. At the conclusion of the bombardment the cruiser left in a southwesterly direction.

Novorossysk, Caucasia, Oct. 30.—The Turkish cruiser Hamidieh, which arrived here, demanded the surrender of the city and the government properties, threatening in case of refusal to bombard the town. The Turkish consul and officials were arrested. The cruiser withdrew.

Russian Steamers Sunk by Turk Ship.

London, Oct. 30.—A Petrograd dispatch to Reuters Telegraph company says:

"A dispatch from Kertch, a seaport in the Crimea, reports that near Takel lighthouse the Russian steamer Yalta, from the Caucasus, was sunk by a torpedo launched by a Turkish cruiser. The crew were saved. The steamer Kazebek, which went to the rescue was struck by two torpedoes and sank. Many persons aboard were drowned."

Shells Come From Cruiser Breslau.

London, Oct. 30.—A dispatch to the Times from Petrograd says it was the former German cruiser Breslau, which now flies the Turkish flag, which shelled Theodosia.

Porte Enters War Arena.

Tokyo, Oct. 30.—The Russian embassy here announces that Turkey has opened war on Russia.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

PERFECT FITTING GLASSES

Are assured you if you come to Crane's. Our expert optician will test your eyes free and fit them with the proper glasses. Prices reasonable. H. T. CRANE.

GEN. VON FALKENHAYN.

Acting Chief of German General Staff Since Illness Of General von Moltke.

Photo by American Press Association.

BRITISH WARSHIPS GUARD ALLIES' LEFT

Opposition From Shore Has Practically Ceased.

London, Oct. 30.—The secretary of the admiralty makes the following announcement:

"The British naval flotilla continues to support the allies' left, and since the morning of Oct. 27 the fire of twelve-inch guns has been brought to bear upon the German positions and batteries.

"Reports received from shore testify to the effect and accuracy of the fire and to its galling character. The flank is thus thoroughly maintained.

"The enemy brought up heavy guns and replied vigorously to the fire of Admiral Hood's ships. The vessels received only trifling structural damage. The opopsition from the shore has practically ceased, and the preponderance of the naval gunners seems to be established.

"The casualties have been very slight throughout, but one shell exploding on the destroyer Falcon killed one officer and eight men and wounded one officer and fifteen men. One killed and several wounded are also reported from the cruiser Brilliant, and eight were wounded on the Rinaldo.

"The enemy's submarines have also been reported seeking an opportunity to attack the bombarding ships, which are covered by British destroyers."

Take Batteries to Coast.

A wireless dispatch from Berlin says: "It is reported that the Germans are bringing heavy batteries to the Belgian coast to enable them to control the entrance to the Scheldt and to the North sea between the sand banks and the coast. The British ships will be obliged therefore to pass on the high sea."

BATTLE NO LONGER GENERAL

Fighting In West Degenerates Into Isolated Attacks.

London, Oct. 30.—The battle of the Yser and the series of fights which has taken place along the whole front in Belgium and France appear, with the troops now exhausted, to have degenerated into numerous isolated attacks and counter attacks, in which the gains and losses are about equally divided between the combatants.

On the part of the battle front nearest the sea, where the Germans have delivered repeated attacks with daily increasing forces, in their effort to make their way to Dunkirk and eventually to Calais, and where the allies have offered such stubborn resistance there has been another day of comparative calm, and although the Germans claim to have made some progress to the south of Nieuport, the French say there is no change.

In fact, as was expected, the Germans seem to have transferred their more serious operations farther in land and to be trying to break through the allied lines from Lille, which, if successful, would compel the allies, who are holding the front through Ypres to the coast, to fall back toward Dunkirk.

Meanwhile the allied commanders announce that their forces are always taking a little more the offensive and they intimate that it won't be long before they substitute an attack on the German positions in Belgium for the German attack on the allies' positions in the north of France. If this occurs there will recommence a series of siege battles for the German entrenchments which gridiron Belgium along its southern boundary.

Farmers Attention

At Auction Oct. 31, 1914, 2:30 p.m.
East Side Public Sq, Maryville, Mo.

4 Riding Cultivators, Disc and shovel
1 Riding Lister, Combined
1 New Cassidy, 16-inch Sulky.

Terms—Cash

R. P. HOSMER, Auctioneer

HELPS FOR POULTRY RAISERS

E. L. Andrews of This City Writes About the Care of Incubators.

The following was written by Col. E. L. Andrews of this city for the Missouri Farmer of Columbia, Mo.:

"When you are through using your incubator for the season you should remove the lamps empty the oil out and burn the old wick. If your machine is a hot water heat you should empty the tank taking care to let it all drain out. The most important item of all is to disinfect the incubator—this one thing alone may save disease in your baby chicks next spring. Comparatively few people know how to properly disinfect an incubator. Wash all inside parts, cleaning trays, burlaps, etc., then close all ventilators, then place in a saucer in the incubator ½ ounce permanganate of potash pouring over it ½ ounce formaldehyde. Close the machine for 12 hours. This produces a very strong penetrating gas which thoroughly disinfects. Always be sure to air the machine well before using after disinfecting in this manner.

"These drugs are inexpensive. Ten cents will buy enough to disinfect 2 incubators. The principal thing is knowing how and getting at it. If you didn't have good success this year with your hatches and baby chicks, try and get off on the right foot next spring. If you are hatching in a very dry time and moisture is at a premium, keep a large pail of water sitting under the incubator during the hatch. The evaporation will help out.

"Have your machine level.

"Have the proper temperature and be able to hold it there before placing eggs in it.

"Fill and trim your lamps every day, whether they need it or not.

"Any room, basement or cellar where the temperature changes the least is the place to set your incubator for best results and easy control."

WHEN MISSOURIANS MAY HUNT.

May Now Kill Water Fowls and Squirrel—Quails Safe For a Month.

The best part of the entire year's hunting season is now on in Missouri and those engaging in the sport either in woodland or by water, are reporting fairly good success. The fishermen have not entirely quit for the season in the south part of the state, though they probably will within the next two or three weeks.

Nearly all water fowls and other varieties of game now may be hunted without raising the ire of the game wardens if a hunter is supplied with a hunting license.

The open season in Missouri for shore birds and waterfowl:

Black-breasted and golden plover, Sept. 1 to Dec 16.
Yellowlegs, Wilson and Jacksnipe, Sept. 15 to Dec. 16.
Rail, Sept. 17 to Jan. 1.
Duck, Sept. 15 to Feb. 1.
Goose, Sept. 15 to Feb. 1.

Open season in Missouri for upland game:

Squirrel, July 1 to Dec. 1.
Quail, Dec. 1 to Jan. 1.
Grouse, no open season.
Prairie Chicken, no open season.
Wild Turkey, Nov. 1 to Jan. 1.
Dove, Sept. 1 to Jan. 1.

NOTICE—TOGGERY SHOP WINDOWS. 28-30

LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, October 28th, 1914.

Men.

Minding, F. D.
Bryant, John C.
Gray, Mayor W. H.
Hoster, John
Hulet, J. A.
Johnson, John B.
Lynch, Simon
McMahan, J. R.
McCormick, J. H.
Saville, James
Schmidt, Plos
Smith, Geo. T.

Women.

Fluber, Mrs. J. J.
Griggs, Miss Mary
Leeker, Mrs. S. E.
Shearer, Miss Neva
Smith, Miss Corda
Stafford, Helen M. (official.)

Miscellaneous.

Montgomery, Mrs. Bertha, care of A. B. Miller Shows.
Box 735.
Fredendall & Wilkins.

Persons calling for above named letters will please say "advertised."

JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

Auto Repairing is a Craft

By itself. It requires skill and a considerable equipment to practice it. As to our equipment a visit will disclose its completeness. As to our skill; we refer with pride to the many car owners who have employed our services. Also Auto Livery Day or Night.

Shores and Yager
PHONE 87
PICKERING MISSOURI

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

KATE SCHENCK
Phones—Office 42 Home 683

To Transact New Business.

A special meeting of the Woodmen Circle will be held in the Woodmen hall at 8 o'clock tonight to transact new business. Every member has been urged to be present.

Mrs. Newlon Hostess.

Mrs. Ira Newlon of Clearmont entertained a number of friends with an informal evening affair Wednesday evening, arranging the affair as a surprise for Mr. Newlon, to celebrate his birthday anniversary.

Eurekans Hosts.

The Eurekan society of the Normal entertained the Philomathean society yesterday afternoon with a luncheon served in the Normal assembly room. The luncheon was served at the conclusion of the literary programs.

Pleasant Affair.

Mrs. Charles C. Hellmers entertained a number of guests yesterday afternoon at cards and dominoes at her home, on North Main street. The favors were won by Mrs. William Wallis, Jr., and Mrs. Charles Wadley. During the afternoon Mrs. Hellmers was assisted in entertaining her guests by Mrs. N. C. Covey, Miss Katherine Kuchs and Miss Marie Reuillard.

Mrs. Bantz Hostess.

Mrs. John Bantz was hostess to the I X L Embroidery club Wednesday afternoon, when the members spent several delightful hours at the Bantz home, on South Buchanan street. Mrs. Bantz's assistants for the afternoon were her daughter, Mrs. B. D. Null, Mrs. Ernest Welborn and Mrs. Wilbur Smith. The next meeting will be on Wednesday afternoon, November 11, with Mrs. Walter Mutz.

Franklin Pupils Have Party.

Under the supervision of the teacher, Miss Dale Hulet, the second grade pupils in the Franklin school held a Hallowe'en party at the school room this afternoon. The room was decorated with quantities of autumn leaves, corn shocks and pumpkin faces. The shades were drawn and the room lighted with jack-o'-lanterns. Hallowe'en games were played and stories told. After the program apples and popcorn were served and marshmallows toasted by candle flame. In serving luncheon the napkins used were of white crepe decorated with black cats and witches, the work of the pupils. There are thirty-three pupils in the room and each had a part in the work and program.

Society Meeting.

Mrs. J. H. Thorp was hostess Wednesday afternoon to the meeting of the Women's Missionary society of the Buchanan Street Methodist church. The afternoon was opened with devotions by Mrs. Del Thompson. The Rev. J. H. Hubbard gave a splendid talk on "The Lord Wants You," and Miss Eva Ashford read a paper on the "Modern Mission Study." "Our Missionaries and Deaconesses" was the subject of an interesting article read by Mrs. N. F. Humber. In conclusion of the meeting Mrs. Thorp served refreshments. The next meeting will be on November 18, with Mrs. Jesse Paulette, on East First street.

Curnutt-Hutton.

Miss Ruby Alice Curnutt, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Z. Curnutt, and Clyde Hutton of Kearney, Neb., were married at 5:30 o'clock last evening at the Curnutt home, 403 West Second street. The Rev. Gilbert S. Cox, pastor of the First Methodist church, read the words of the marriage service in the presence of the Curnutt family and a few close friends of the bride and groom. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. Hutton and his bride left in an auto for Burlington Junction, where they boarded the train for Kearney. Mr. Hutton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hutton of Kearney, former residents of Maryville. He and his bride will be at home at Kearney.

Give Banquet to Society.

Mrs. Robert Lyle and Mrs. James D. Frank were the hostesses of a banquet given last night in the reading rooms of the First Christian church, when their guests were the members 6:30 and plates were laid for eighty friends. Lavender and white, the colors of the C. W. B. M., were the dominating note in the decorations. Runners of lavender crepe were laid on the tables and on these were placed vases holding clusters of white chrysanthemums. The menu was served at 6.30 and plates were laid for eighty guests. After the serving a program was given. The numbers began with a piano duet by Mrs. John Neal and Miss Rose Frazee. Mrs. G. L. Wilfley gave a splendid talk on "Why I Believe in Missions," and this was followed by a talk on "Federation," by Mrs. Henry Wright, a member of the Women's Missionary society of the First Methodist church. Mrs. Fred Miller gave an interesting talk on "The More Abundant Life," and Mrs. Henry Westfall on "Our Great Unfinished Task." Mrs. R. L. McDougal, the new president of the society, spoke on "A Missionary Woman and Her Children," and Mrs. R. L. Finch gave a short talk about the College of Missions at Indianapolis, which she recently visited. J. D. Frank, in a response to the toast "Missionary Women," created considerable merriment by giving a humorous speech, and the Rev. Mr. Finch closed the program by telling of the recent international convention at Atlanta, Ga. The speeches were interspersed by a piano program given by Miss Ruth Reuillard and Miss Geneva Wilfley. Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. H. B. Swearingen of Omaha, the guest of Mrs. Rebecca Gray, and Mrs. Harry Findley of Tarkio, who is a guest at the W. B. Porter home.

Maurine Beth Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Ray Smith announce the birth of their daughter, on October 27, the little girl has been christened Maurine Beth.

Presents Gift to Secretary.

At the conclusion of the banquet served yesterday noon in the Odd Fellows hall by the Women's Relief Corps to the visiting delegates in attendance at the district W. R. C. convention, Mrs. R. S. Braniger, the retiring district president, presented her secretary, Mrs. W. L. Ruddell, two handsome sterling souvenir spoons. Just previous to the banquet Mrs. Braniger was presented a silver vanity purse by the members of the district organization. During the afternoon the newly elected officers were installed, Mrs. Catherine Miller of the Maryville corps acting as installing officer.

To Give Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Montgomery will give a dinner this evening, arranging the event in honor of Mr Montgomery's sister, Miss Ruth Montgomery. Plates will be laid for Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery, Miss Montgomery, Miss Brownie Tocl, the Rev. Tom Middleton of Burlington Junction and Will Montgomery.

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FOR RENT—8-room house 4 blocks from square. Good condition, all modern conveniences. See Allen Bros. 30-2

Hallowe'en Masquerade!

Saturday night a Hallowe'en Masquerade will be held at the Skating Rink.

Orchestra Music

The first prize for the best masquerade will be a season ticket to the rink.

Come

The Probate Court of Nodaway County

Shall we remain another term, is the question to be determined by the voters of Nodaway County; and after examining our record, and consulting with those with whom we have done business, you should find that it would be to your interest and to the interest of the people of Nodaway County, to give us your support at the next November election, it will be greatly appreciated.

Truly Yours,

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard McCommon, who have been visiting friends here the last few weeks, will leave tonight for Okmulgee, Okla., for a short visit, then go to San Diego, Cal., to spend the winter.

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BIG SALE ON HATS.

All trimmed hats one-half price. McCrary & McCrary's millinery store, Maryville, Mo. 28-30

Were "Poor Ignorant Niggers."

The following two items from the Fairview correspondent of the Hopkins Journal does not pay a great amount of respect to "The Florida Blossoms" which showed on the east side of the square here during homecoming, nor to traveling "schooner" outfits:

"A white man with a bunch of ugly coons went through this neighborhood last Wednesday week headed for Hopkins to give a show, but the outfit went broke at Pickering, or rather the "white trash" ran away with the money and there was no show at Hopkins, the poor ignorant niggers being stranded at Pickering.

"Horse trading outfits are becoming too numerous and are a nuisance camped along the public highways. This neighborhood is talking of organizing a "hot foot society," and when completed it will be the trading outfit's time to move and keep moving."

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Maryville, Mo.

Read This Before You Vote

You are entitled to know the facts regarding proposition No. 9, so that you may vote intelligently next Tuesday.

Proposition No. 9 concerns the law requiring an extra trainman on freight trains, of forty cars or over, and on passenger trains of six cars or over.

At present, through and local freights are manned by an engineer, a fireman, a conductor and two trainmen, one stationed on the forward half of the train—the other on the rear half. In case of unexpected stops one of these trainmen goes forward of the train to act as a flagman, the other goes to the rear for the same purpose.

These men do not apply brakes to a moving train. All trains, regardless of length or number of cars, are controlled by air brakes operated from either the engine or caboose of a freight, and from the engine or any car of a passenger.

The work of these two trainmen is no harder, or more dangerous on a long train than on a short one. As a matter of fact, from all statistics avsilable, there have actually been fewer accidents on long trains than on short ones.

There is absolutely no necessary or useful work a third trainman could do. It is not even claimed that he is of any use on a passenger train, yet the law, if passed, will require him to be there.

All trains are carefully inspected by expert inspectors before they start out on their run, and at numerous points along the line. An extra man on the train would not add any safeguard to this inspection.

An extra man would in no way lessen the number of accidents to trainmen, as seventy-four per cent of all accidents are due to the employees own carelessness. The more employees there are the greater the chance for injury.

If an extra trainman is necessary, the Public Service Commission has full power to enforce his employment. Why not leave the matter to them? They are intelligent fair-minded men who are paid by the State to investigate such matters, and enforce their rulings.

This same law has been defeated in Massachusetts, New York, Ohio, Oklahoma, Louisiana and Texas as either unjust or unnecessary. Why should Missouri find it otherwise?

To pass this law would add $500,000 a year additional useless burden on the railroads, which in the end must be borne by the general public.

If you were asked to vote an appropriation to support in idleness or in useless labor, some 500 able-bodied men, your vote would be overwhelmingly No. Gentlemen, that's proposition No. 9. Will you Scratch YES and vote NO?

HOW THE FARMERS OF TEXAS LOOKED UPON FULL CREW BILL

Why Farmers' Co-Operative Union Defeated A Full Crew Proposition in Texas Legislature.

The present series of articles is intended as a brief campaign of education on those matters affecting railroads concerning which the greatest misunderstanding exists in the public mind. As has been stated before, the railroads and the people face each other in a new relationship today. Not only do the people say what rates the railroads shall charge for service—but the hour is at hand when all new railroad securities will be subjected to federal and state surveillance before they can be offered for sale and just as the new currency system will make the recurrence of a panic like the one of 1907 impossible in the future, so questionable methods of railroad financing such as occurred under the old regime a dozen years ago will be impossible from this time forward.

While the general public perhaps does not realize it, there is no more powerful factor for clean business methods in the country today than the thousands of big business men in all lines of industrial activity who are demanding these methods not only because they are right but as a matter of protection for themselves against those who bring discredit upon the line of activity in which they are engaged.

Since the enactment of the "Full Crew Bill" which was touched upon in last week's article would compel the railroads of Missouri to ask for a half million dollars larger yearly increase in rates than they will otherwise need, a little further discussion of this proposition may not be out of place.

Action of Farmers in Texas.

In this connection, the action of the Farmers Co-Operative Union of Texas which was chiefly instrumental in defeating a "Full Crew Bill" in the 33rd Legislature of that state, should be of keen interest to the farmers of Missouri at this time. In the annual convention of the Union which met at San Antonio in August, 1913, the following resolution was unanimously adopted.

"We oppose the placing of any and all unjust burdens upon the railroads which the shipper must finally pay and we indorse the action of President Peter Radford and all other officers and members of the Texas Farmers Co-Operative Union in opposing the "Full Crew Bill" before the 33rd legislature, said officers and members in good faith believing that the additional operating expenses of the railroads of one million dollars per year, which would have followed from the enactment of said law, would have been thereby transferred to the shoulders of the producers of the state without materially benefitting the public." Will the farmers of Missouri be less wide awake to their best interests when they vote on Proposition No. 9?

Putting Shoe on Other Foot

Suppose a proposition were pending to increase the taxes of the farmers of Missouri or of the merchants of the state more than a half million dollars per year? Would they not emphasize the injustice of it to the people? Would not every farmers organization and Commercial Club in the state denounce it? Or suppose an act was pending compelling the farmers and merchants of Missouri to hire hundreds of extra farm hands and clerks they do not need—would they not bitterly resent it. And yet this is exactly what the advocates of the "Full Crew Bill" are seeking to do to the railroads. Certainly merely because a railroad happens to be a public service corporation it has not lost all right to a square deal? Furthermore, as has been emphasized before, in this instance the welfare of the railroads is the welfare of the people—for when the burdens of the railroads become heavier than they can bear, the people must choose between paying them more money or sending them upon the rocks of confiscation and ruin.

Meeting the Issue Squarely.

But it is not the purpose of this article to plead for public sympathy but to meet the advocates of the "Full Crew Bill" squarely upon their own ground and, without abuse, to show that their demand rests upon nothing more than sentimental appeal to the voter—an attempt to create the impression in the public mind that the railroads do not employ enough brakemen to safely operate their trains and that this is responsible for all manner of wrecks, injured workmen etc. This is the ground they have chosen upon which to wage their battle and if the public records and statistics make their claims ridiculous the voters will be justified in ignoring the heart-rending appeals with which the state has been flooded during the last month.

In last week's article we quoted statistics from a number of prominent railroads showing that more trainmen are injured on trains carrying less than 40 cars than on those carrying over 40 cars. The later records of the M., K. & T. show that during the last fiscal year not a single employee was killed on its lines in Missouri and that 37 employees were injured on trains carrying less than 40 cars and only 21 on trains carrying more than 40 cars—and out of these 58 injuries 11 were no more serious than getting a cinder in the eye. In varying degrees the other roads show the same general facts.

Still more interesting, however are the statistics of the Public Service Commission at Jefferson City which is a record of all railroad accidents and their causes. The report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1913, shows the following facts: Out of a total of 48 railroad employees killed in Missouri during that year, 10 lost their lives in collisions, 14 by falling off trains, 2 by jumping on or off trains, 6 were struck by trains and 4 were killed in coupling cars. In other words, 36 out of 48 were killed through contributory carelessness of their own in one way or another. Again, 104 were injured in collisions, 209 in falling off trains, 220 in jumping on or off trains, 28 were struck by trains while 98 were injured in coupling cars—again showing the overwhelming element of contributory negligence upon the part of employees themselves. On the other hand, the records show that only one trainman was killed in the state during the entire year and only 7 injured from defective cars or engines—thus completely disproving the wild statements made by the "Full Crew Bill" literature concerning the wrecks caused by "loose car doors," "dragging brake beams," broken rods," etc.

In view of these incontrovertible facts, what becomes of the absurdly exaggerated statements on bill boards etc., that a "trainman is killed or crippled every seven minutes?" A further analysis of the Public Service Commission figures show that only an average of four trainmen were killed per month while only an average of four were injured per day on all the railroads of Missouri during the year—and yet this is the kind of argument upon which the voters of Missouri are asked to fasten an additional burden of more than half a million dollars yearly upon the transportation companies of the state!

The Inter-State Commerce Commission

In its 1912 report, the Inter-State Commerce Commission says: "The most disquieting and perplexing feature of the problem of accident prevention is the large proportion of train accidents caused by dereliction of duty by the employees involved. By far the greatest number of our serious train accidents are due to the failure of some responsible employee to perform an essential duty at the critical time." Out of 81 train accidents investigated recently by the Commission, 63 per cent were caused by the mistakes of employees—and in view of these facts, will not the legislating of hundreds of "extra brakemen" onto the railroads increase rather than decrease the number of accidents? In the light of the above statistics can there be any other result?

In this connection, is it not strange that the advocates of the "Full Crew Bill" have not cited statistics from the several states in which this law has been in effect for a number of years to prove their case? Doesn't any intelligent reader know they would have done so if the records were not against them? As a matter of fact, the ratio of accidents on every railroad in the country regardless of "Full Crew" laws vary in proportion to the number of men employed—for just as you cannot regulate the amount of rainfall by law so you cannot eliminate the human element of carelessness in men.

Taking Care of Present Employees

To make a long story short, the whole "Full Crew" propaganda is nothing more or less than a cleverly conceived appeal to the sympathy of a naturally sympathetic public—a house of cards which falls to pieces the moment it is brought in contact with the cold facts of past experience.

In their frantic efforts to curtail expense during the last several years, the railroads have been compelled to lay off thousands of former employees—and at this moment hundreds are given a "furlough" of several days per month in order that they may not be left without a position entirely. Instead of legislating hundreds of "extra brakemen" into useless jobs would it not be better to put the railroads in position to re-employ many men whom they have had to lay off and keep all employees working full time?

Summing up the whole matter, Proposition No. 9 deserves to be emphatically defeated for the following concrete reasons:

Because it is just as wrong to try to regulate by law the number of men a railroad shall hire as it would be to attempt to regulate by law the number of farm hands or clerks which a farmer or merchant shall hire.

Because, we have a Public Service Commission which has full power to compel any railroad in Missouri to hire additional brakemen or any other kind of workmen if, after due inquiry, it deems them necessary for the good of the public or of the employees themselves—a Commission created for this specific purpose and which is in position to discriminate between the different conditions which exist upon the different railroads.

Because, before the advocates of the "Full Crew Bill" had any right to ask the people of Missouri to fasten this unfair burden upon every railroad in the state, large and small, they should first have presented their grievances to the railroads themselves or to the Public Service Commission—neither of which they did.

Because, every additional burden visited upon the railroads at this time will finally have to be borne by the people who in the end must either put up the added expense or consent to see the railroads financially wrecked—a condition which would mean paralysis to Agriculture, Commerce and Industry throughout the state.

Because, when the people took over the railroads, they at the same time assumed the implied obligation to protect them against unfair and arbitrary assaults upon their revenues.

Because, labor, as well as the employers of labor, owes a profound duty to society not to levy a tribute upon it which is greater than the traffic will justly bear.

Because, our great commonwealth is still little more than in its infancy in Agricultural and Commercial development—a state which needs hundreds of miles of additional railroad mileage before it can make the most of its matchless resources and these improvements cannot be had if we continually advertise to the outer world that invested capital cannot get a "square deal" in Missouri.

Because, passing as we are through a series of bad crop years, a universal depression in all lines of business and the most tragic war in the World's history it is no time to assault the railroads which are today confronted by the gravest financial crisis in their history.

In conclusion, the reader should remember that the defeat of the "Full Crew Bill" leaves to its advocates the right to place any imaginary grievance before the State Public Service Commission which has the power to grant them any relief to which a fair investigation might entitle them. If you want to vote against Proposition No. 9 scratch out the word "yes." Paid Adv. (To be continued next week.)

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HUNGER MAY CAUSE UPRISING IN BELGIUM

Desperate Populace May Attack Authorities, Says Lucey.

London, Oct. 30.—"It is feared that in their desperation the hungry people will attack the authorities. This would cause serious loss of life."

So stated Captain T. F. Lucey, representative of the American commission for relief in Belgium in a telegram to Herbert C. Hooper, chairman of the commission, from Rotterdam. Captain Lucey added that he had been told by representatives of the national relief committee that in Brussels Charleroi, Liege, Namur, Mons and Dinant 3,000,000 persons were being fed by charity and that only four days supply of flour was on hand. In the vicinity of Liege conditions were more desperate than elsewhere, if possible. There the necessaries of life were urgently needed.

"Beans, peas and rice are acceptable," Captain Lucey's telegram said. "But the great necessity and the urgent appeals from all concerned are for wheat flour."

The message adds that great danger is threatened.

FLAGG HIS OWN LAWYER

Tells Jury He Made Fifty Per Cent Profit For Clients.

New York, Oct. 30.—Jared Flagg, on trial for using the mails in a scheme to defraud stock investors by holding out to them alluring promises of profit, acting as his own lawyer, addressed the jury hearing his case in the United States district court. The government closed its case. Daniel N Morgan, former treasurer of the United States, and six others indicted with Flagg are to be given a separate trial.

Flagg told the jury that he intended to prove that he had made a legitimate profit of 50 per cent a year for his customers; that he had turned over to them $700,000 in profits in three years, every penny of which was made in Wall street operations.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Oct. 30.—Closing prices: Wheat—Dec., $1.13⅝; May, $1.18½.
Corn—Dec., 68¼-⅝c; May, 70⅝-¾c.
Oats—Dec., 49c; May, 52⅝-½c.
Pork—Jan., $18.85; May, $19.07½.
Lard—Oct., $10.62½; Jan., $9.87½.
Ribs—Oct., $10.20; Jan., $9.85.
Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, $1.10⅞@1.12½; No. 2 yellow corn, 73@73½c; No. 3 white oats, 45⅝@47½c; standard, 47⅝@48c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Oct. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,000; firm; beeves, $6.35@11; steers, $5.75@9.25; stockers and feeders, $5@8.10; cows and heifers, $3.50@9.20; calves, $7.25@11. Hogs—Receipts, 24,000; steady; bulk, $7.25@7.55, part of a load at $7.75; light, $7.05@7.55; heavy, $7.05@7.65; rough, $7@7.15; pigs, $4.50@7.15. Sheep—Receipts, 28,000; slow; sheep, $5@6; yearlings, $5.85@6.75; lambs, $6.25@8.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Oct. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,500; steady; beef steers, $5.65@10.50; cows and heifers, $4@7; stockers and feeders, $5.80@7.85; bulls, $4.50@6.25; calves, $7.50@10. Hogs—Receipts, 4,000; steady to 5c lower; bulk of sales, $7@7.10; top, $7.20. Sheep—Receipts, 21,000; 10@15c higher; lambs, $5.25@7.90; wethers, $4.30@5.75; ewes, $3.25@5.35.

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Duroc Jersey male pigs, two miles north K. C. depot. Farmers phone 2220. John Anderson. 26-2

FOR RENT—Modern 10-room house. Phone 4377 Hanamo. Mrs. W. W. Byers. 22-tf

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, one aged. Some yearlings and spring pigs. All immune. H. B. Dowden and Dale Partridge, Farmers phone.

FOR SALE—Small size cooking stove, been used about eight months. Inquire 403 S. Market. Hanamo 4153.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms at 616 East Fourth street. Inquire mornings. 28-30

LOST—Four side curtains for an automobile. Leave at the Wilderman garage. 28-30

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 615 North Fillmore. 28-30

FOR SALE—Wood, lumber and posts. See Saunders Brothers, Hanamo phone 3698. 27-tf

WANTED—Young man wants to work during spare time while attending Normal. 29-31.

WANTED—Experienced girl wants housework. Call Hanamo phone 4638. 29-31

FOR SALE—My property, 515 South Market street. 7 rooms and bath. Strictly modern. See me at above address. Daniel Lynch. 26-7

FOR RENT—Four rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. 213 North Main street. Inquire J. A. Ford. 29-tf

WANTED—Young man wants steady job on farm. Experienced. Inquire Democrat-Forum office. 30-2

FOR RENT—8-room modern house, 2 lots, vacant Nov. 1, or will trade for smaller property. See O. L. Holmes. 14-tf

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FOR RENT—6-room house at 316 East Edward. Inquire J. D. Dickerson, Sixth and Vine. 28-30

FOR RENT—Furnished room, three blocks from square. 110 South Fillmore. 10-tf

FOR SALE—80-acre well improved farm, 1½ miles from Burlington Junction. Address Box 36, Burlington Junction, Mo. 26-31

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred S. C. R. I. Red pullets, 50c each; cockerels, 75c, if taken soon. Mrs. Will Wells, Maryville, route 1, box 46. 24-30

SEE or phone me for superior home-grown alfalfa hay, baled or loose. No moldy or rotten cored bales. Sold in half ton lots and up. Elmer Fraser. 5-tf

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There are 131 pupils enrolled in the Elmo public schools, according to a report of W. A. Wright, teacher for the month ending October 23. The average daily attendance was 123.

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